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**TRANSMITTAL OF  
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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Washington, D.C. 20231

The Information Disclosure Statement submitted herewith is being filed within three (3) months of the filing of the above-captioned Application, or date of entry into the national stage of an international application, or before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits whichever occurs last. 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any necessary fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-1519. A duplicate of this request is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted this 18<sup>th</sup> of March, 1998.

  
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Transmitted: Information Disclosure Statement; Sixteen (16) References; PTO Form 1449; and Certificate of Mailing.

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The following sections are being submitted for this Information Disclosure Statement:

1. X Preliminary Statements.
2. X FORM PTO-1449 (Modified).
3.     Identification of Prior Application In Which Listed Information Was Already Cited and For Which No Copies are Submitted Or Need be Submitted.
4. X Copies of Listed Information Items Accompanying This Statement.
5.     Concise Explanation of Non-English Language Listed Information Items.
6.     Translation(s) of Non-English Language Documents.
7.     Certification Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97.(e).
8.     Fee as required under 37 C.F.R § 1.17(p).
9.     Petition requesting consideration of Statement and Petition Fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i)(1).
10. X Identification of Person(s) Making This Information Disclosure Statement.

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**SECTION 1.     Preliminary Statements.**

Applicants submit herewith patents, publications, or other information of which they are aware, which they believe may be material to the examination of this Application and in respect of which there may be a duty to disclose in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.56.

The filing of this Information Disclosure Statement shall not be construed as a representation that a search has been made (37 C.F.R. 1.97(g)), an admission that the information cited is or is considered to be, material to patentability or that no other material information exists.

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**SECTION 4. Copies of Listed Information Items Accompanying This Statement.**

Legible copies of **all** items listed below accompany this Information Disclosure Statement.

<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Country</u>	<u>CI/SUB</u>
Des. 298,749	November 29, 1988	Yant	USA	—
Des. 328,463	August 4, 1992	King et al.	USA	—
4,509,043	April 2, 1985	Mossaides	USA	345/113
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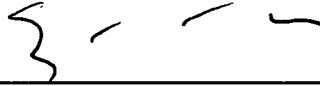
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I hereby certify that this Information Disclosure Statement (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, with sufficient postage as first class mail pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.8(a) on this 18<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1998.

  
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